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Campus Receives New Improvements And Face-Lifting

Many improvements have been made on the Northwest Missouri State College campus since the Christmas holidays, according to Mr. Luther G. Belcher, Jr., secretary of the business office.

The agriculture department has had its face lifted. The walls of the two classrooms and the office shared by Mr. R. T. Wright, chairman of the department, and Mr. F. B. Houghton, instructor, were painted cascade blue. Cabinets have been repainted and all of the farm implements rehung. White ceilings complete the new color scheme of the department.

About one-third of all the seats in the auditorium have been replaced. The stage floor has been varnished.

Because of various stains, the floor of the Student Union lounge has been refinished. New trash cans have been placed in the Bearcats' Den.

Many of the classrooms have new green blackboards, which were installed because they cut off glare and are easier on the eyes than the traditional type board, Mr. Belcher said. These are located in the biology, mathematics, and accounting rooms, in one social science room, as well as in some parts of the Industrial Arts building.

The men's room on the first floor of the Administration Building has received some repairs and a partial coat of paint.

During the recent warm weather, much work has been done to clean out the ditches along the main drives. Trees with many dead branches have been cut down on the campus.

Misses Neva Ross and Ann Gorsuch spent Sunday in St. Joseph.

London Journalist Will Speak To Maryville Council of Clubs

Members of the Maryville Branch of the American Association of University Women will sponsor an international relations dinner for other members of the Maryville Women's Council of Clubs, tomorrow evening, at the St. Patrick's church dining room.

Lady Margaret D'Arcy, exchange lecturer from London, will be the guest speaker. As a journalist she has worked in South America, the East and West Indies, North and West Africa, and in many countries of Europe, including Russia. Being a mother she is especially interested in the problems of youth. She has done much coaching of pre-University students.

During World War II she was active in women's war work and in radio broadcasting. Her objective is to build better understanding among people.

Lady D'Arcy spent part of last year on a lecture tour in the United States. According to Miss Chloe Millikan, president of the Missouri Division of A.A.U.W. and chairman of the department of early childhood education at Northwest Missouri State College, the British lecturer is returning to America this year by popular request.

Miss Millikan has planned all of Lady D'Arcy's Missouri tour, which will also include programs at Springfield, Nevada, Richmond, Parkville, St. Joseph, Columbia, and St. Louis.

Mrs. Harry Sheetz, former English instructor at the college, is general chairman of the international relations dinner. Other members of the committee are Mrs. James Gutch, Mrs. D. Franklin Kohl, Mrs. J. Garth Espey, Mrs. Myrl Long, Mrs. Glenn Hoffman, Mrs. Harvey White, Miss Audrey Brown, and Miss Laura Hawkins.

Notice

On March 2 and 3 a sixty minute Naval Aviation classification test will be given to men with two years of college training who are interested in joining the Navy. The tests will be given in room 316 of the Administration building at 10 a.m.

Aquatic Club To Present Swim Show

The Sigma Phi Dolphin Club will present their annual swimming pageant at the College Pool on March 11-12 commencing at 8:00 p. m. Miss Bonnie Magill is sponsoring this year's production.

The program will feature a "Hill Parade" theme with colorful costumes and music to add background. All of the numbers will be planned and directed by students belonging to the organization.

Dixie Moore, Stunt Captain for the Dolphins, will direct the opening number which will be an impression of "Juke Box Saturday Night."

A group of Horace Mann Seniors under the direction of Joan Haristhal have been slated to swim a special number.

Also highlighting the event will be a duet planned by Nancy Kariger and Pat Adams; a special diving feature by Nancy and Bob Kariger; and three boys who will be asked as guests swimmers.

The Grand Finale will be a "Design for Dancing" which will be enacted by the entire group.

Admission prices will be .25 for students and .50 for adults. Tickets may be purchased from any member of the organization.

Members of the Sigma Phi Dolphins include Jan Hyink, Roberta Kordes, Virginia Watkins, Ruth Burke, Dixie Moore, Pat Adams, Marilyn O'Conner, Nancy Kariger, Barbara Kunze, Greta Garten, and Margie White.

Honor Roll

First semester students who are on the Dean's honor roll are as follows: Herbert Anderson, Marilyn Anderson, Franklin Bayless, Patty Boydston, Arthur Buckingham, Neal T. Bullock, George Coats, Patricia Cooper, Annie Lou Cowan, Carolyn Curfman, Betty Dougan, Marcia Ely, Barbara Fox, Sharon Gabbert, Billy Geer, Marilyn Gilliland, Norma Gladstone.

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Russell Thompson, Robert Thorne, Janet Trost, Melvin Twaddle, John Whitford, Audra Williams, Howard L. Wollen.

Carolyn Curfman, Robert Smith, and Janet Trost have an E average.

Mr. Brown Is Head Of Missouri Delegation

Mr. Everett Brown, director of field services, was recently elected chairman of the Missouri delegation of the regional conference of Teacher Education and Professional Standards at New Orleans, Louisiana.

"Building a Profession" is the subject of the report of the New Orleans meeting published in the February issue of the "School and Community" magazine.

Sunday's high reading of 72 degrees broke a heat record for February 14 in Maryville.

Modern Dance Artists Appear On Campus for Next Assembly



VITAL YOUNG DANCE TEAM, Emily Frankel and Mark Ryder, present a novel style of dancing which expresses a feeling of wonder, of beauty, or of real humor. This versatile couple is widely known for originality in entertainment which has a special appeal for college students.

State College Alumna Sails To Hawaii as Guest of Navy

Dr. Mildred Sandison Fenner, graduate of the college, recently was chosen one of sixteen outstanding women in the United States to be a guest of the Secretary of the Navy on a cruise to Hawaii.

According to a recent issue of the "Honolulu Advertiser," the sixteen women were also the best looking guests the Secretary of the Navy has ever invited on such a trip. They included nurses, educators, writers, and housewives and followed a schedule of tours, luncheons, and receptions that would "make a sailor dizzy."

The trip over was made on the hospital ship, the USS Haven, with 500 enlisted men and crew aboard, and according to the Honolulu newspaper, Lt. Cmdr. Clyde L. Ernst, Executive Officer, said that for the first time in his 27 Navy years he really enjoyed going to sea.

The women were entertained by the Navy in military manner. They were given an opportunity to go into a submarine and watch it make a dive while they were on. They were given an opportunity to make short flights in large helicopters.

Senate Announces Winners in Contest

"I'm not being modest at all but I do think the others deserved to win more than I did," was the comment made by Dr. Sterling Surrey, Student Senate sponsor and chairman of the business department when he learned that he had been chosen the ugliest man in the March of Dimes contest, sponsored by the Senate.

"I knew they were big, but not that big," said Miss Doris Hysler, instructor in the women's physical education department, when she was told that she had won the contest for having the largest feet.

Money received in these contests will be given to the March of Dimes campaign. The total amount received was \$10.80.

The following persons were appointed to an assembly committee: Frank Bayless, Joyce Haws, George Kling, Mary Jane Kurtz, Kenneth Miller, Stan Ogden, Jean Richardson, Lucille Steinhauer, and Bob Wilson.

In fact, every detail was taken care of to help them understand and appreciate the work of that branch of the service.

While in Honolulu, Dr. Fenner, who is managing editor of the National Education Association Journal, Washington, D. C., was a guest at a special dinner given by the NEA members on Oahu. A large picture of her talking with Mrs. Gregg Sinclair, wife of the president of the University of Hawaii, appeared in the Honolulu paper. Dr. Fenner was wearing a lei presented by the hosts and hostesses.

After completing the visit to the Islands with a tour of Pearl Harbor and Schofield Barracks and Barber's Point and Kaneohe, the guests left for the United States on the Mars, a Navy plane.

Dr. Fenner had had no idea that she would be making the trip until she received a telephone call at her office one day from the Secretary of the Navy, inviting her to be one of the sixteen honored women.

She is the niece of Mrs. Florence Barry, of the College Business Office.

Parents Will Attend Classes and Exhibits on Fifth Parents' Day

Final arrangements are being completed for the Fifth Annual Parents' Day which will be held on Friday, March 19.

Dr. Frank W. Grube, chairman of this year's committee, recently disclosed that this year for the first time parents will actually attend classes with their sons and daughters.

Classes will meet on regular schedule, and as in previous years there will be departmental exhibits on display. There will be an assembly at ten o'clock under the direction of Mr. Kenneth Bird.

The usual tea will also be held in the Union Lounge from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Dr. Grube reminds everyone that "the cooperation of the students is of prime importance. If every student made it his purpose to bring his parents to the campus on March 19 there would be no questions as to the success of this day. Bring your parents."

Emily Frankel and Mark Ryder, acclaimed as one of the most gifted and engaging duos among America's young dancers, will appear on the campus Wednesday, February 24, at 10 a.m.

In their extraordinary approach to choreography and theatrical presentation, they bring to the public a brilliant combination of drama and dance—humor, satire, folk songs, jazz, ballet, and fantasy.

It isn't often that mastery can describe the works of young dancers. Miss Frankel and Mr. Ryder create a simplicity and excitement which enables both the general public as well as the connoisseur to enjoy their program.

This will be a program of Dance Theater—not just a succession of good, bad, or indifferent music illustrated more or less vaguely by repeated ballet patterns. Sometimes these dance actors use music by Bach or Bloch, or sometimes Sousa or Bartok. They also use sounds such as trains, telephones ringing, air raid sirens or gurgling water.

The only way to categorize this kind of program is to call it Frankel-Ryderish dancing, for it takes from all styles of movement. One may see a leap that will look for a moment like Ballet, or a walk like Charlie Chaplin's—but he soon forgets technique and becomes involved in the different stories which these dancers tell.

Each dance on the program is entirely different in style and in story. A Biblical Dance about Jacob and Leah is enacted; a balletic number about death and a maiden which uses three Bach preludes for accompaniment is brilliantly danced; a charming story of a silly puppet who transforms a foolish woman into a creature like himself is told in dance movement, almost as a fairy tale or fable—to mention just a few of the dances which will be presented.

Miss Frankel and Mr. Ryder tour the country each year, and spend the rest of their time in New York City where they teach in their school and choreograph new dances. In private life, they are like many young American couples who are married and who also work together.

When on tour they travel in their "Blue Beetle," a station wagon which can hold all of the costumes, props, sound equipment, and lighting equipment.

Tower Staff Plans For Annual Formal

Preparations are well under way for the annual Tower Dance to be held February 27 in the Union Lounge.

Highlighting the dance will be the crowning of the Tower King and Queen.

Cyril Dougherty, editor, will preside over the regal ceremony. At this time, Mr. Dougherty will also reveal the person to whom the 1954 Tower will be dedicated.

According to an announcement by Chairman Violet Casey, this year for the first time four attendants will be elected in addition to the Tower Royalty.

A primary election is to be conducted February 19 in the Administration building. The five highest ranking men and women of this election automatically go into the finals which are to be held February 25.

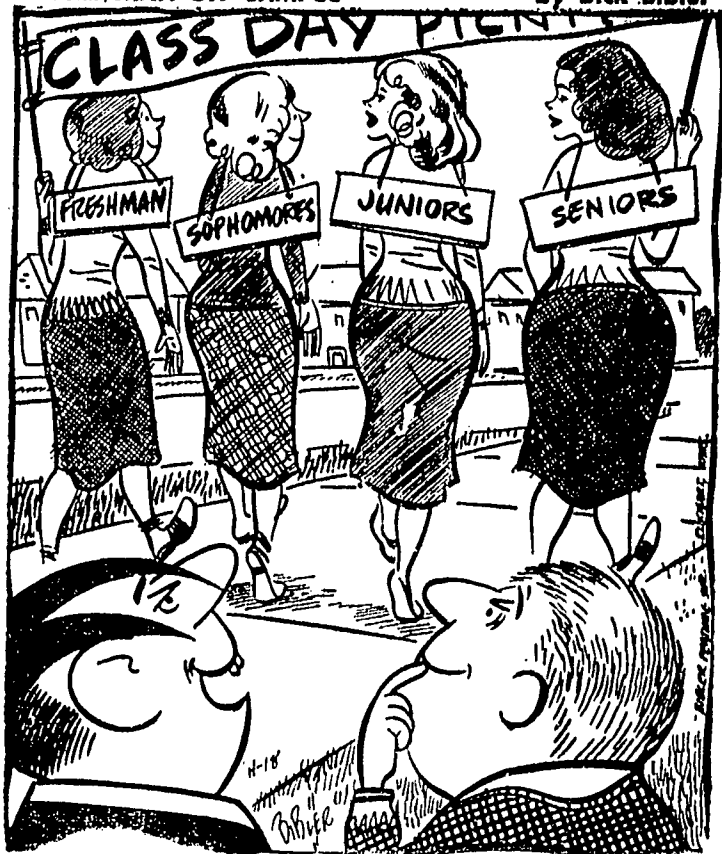
Campaigning is to be limited to the week February 22 through the 25th.

Corky Elliott's orchestra will provide dance music, and Mary Ann Davis will be the featured vocalist.

Mr. John L. Smay, College band director, will be guest conductor at a band festival in Falls City, Neb., Saturday.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

by Dick Bibler



"Well I've always heard a college education 'Broadens' one."

Music Department Has Well-Planned Clinic For 22 School Groups

Twenty-two high school vocal directors and their students attended the Northwest Missouri Music Educators Association Vocal Clinic held at the College recently. The purpose of the clinic was to attempt to solve the problems of the music instructors and their groups through choral techniques.

Members of this group presented a radio program over station KNIM which included a discussion of music problems and demonstrations of singing.

Mr. Oscar Bennet, head of the vocal department of Nebraska Wesleyan University, conducted a mass chorus that evening to which the public was invited. The chorus was composed of two vocalists from each of the 22 schools represented at the clinic.

Schools attending the clinic were Union Star, Sheridan, Rosendale, Benton, Fawcett, South Nodaway, Rock Port, Stewartville, Albany, Stanberry, Tarkio, Hopkins, Quitman, Graham, Maysville, Maryville, Burlington Junction, Galt, Bethany, Fairfax, Skidmore, and Westboro.

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THE STROLLER

When a pup can't live in his own home things are really bad. That is the situation Jimmy Kay's six-weeks-old pet found recently. The only thing he could do was to scratch on the door and beg to be allowed refuge with the family for the night.

Jimmy, master of the place, was unaware of the juvenile's problem, picked him up, and took him back to the dog house. When the pup refused to enter his own home, Jimmy thrust his hand into the door and in astonishment pulled out five strange dogs which had found protection from the cold that winter evening.

Students either jumped with joy or flunked with "U's" when the first semester finals were over. Either way the Stroller feels sure that all found the first half of the school year full of fun and wonderful people. The second half can be just as good, not by wishing, but by doing the work it takes to shift things into proper order. By the way, another point in favor of the semester plan is that it breaks up the long, and sometimes dreary, month of January.

Three Taus almost raised the roof at supper two weeks ago by celebrating their passing grades. While "Mitch" tried to eat, talk, and laugh at the same time and give "Pumph" a little trouble, Frank, the other fun mixer, tried to make dates with four different girls. No meal, but what fun!

Three "E" and "S" students have moved out of Quad 2. No explanation. But to the three who left—all is quiet and your rooms are occupied. Too bad, fellows, but you can't return.

Plenty of new faces are beaming around the campus this second semester, male and female, but they aren't beaming any brighter than that new diamond which Carolyn Criswell, former editor of the college paper, is now wearing.

Inquiring Reporter

Why don't the students use the library more frequently?

Burl Walters: Because most people like to smoke while studying, and the library doesn't permit smoking.

George Haskey: Because we can't have the comforts of our radios, cokes, candy, etc., as we do in our rooms, and so we have to study.

Merle Leshner: Because the students aren't acquainted with the facilities of the library.

Jerry Davis: It's too noisy—worse than the Quads.

Lavon Mattes: The Bearcats' Den draws more attention. The library should have padded easy chairs all around so that it would be more comfortable. People stare at you if you take your shoes off.

John Boyd: All the studying I have to do can be done in my room. There's no one of interest at the library.

Jean Webb: I'd rather study in my room. I get more accomplished.

Joan Cartwright: I go only when I have to. I get more done in my room. It's quieter.

Betty Jane Tiemann is now teaching at Hillsboro, Oregon. She writes that there are almost 60 teachers on their elementary staff. Miss Tiemann taught at Carrol, Iowa, for two years, previously.

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They're Talking About . . .

The weather . . . a call to the great out-of-doors . . . get your bids in early for a ride in the Campus Wheelbarrow . . . limited seating capacity.

New students . . . all over the place . . . happy to have them join the ranks.

Second semester . . . off to a riotous start . . . already yet the profs are moving in for the kill . . . someday, you just can't win.

Carolyn Criswell . . . taking four English courses . . . She says, "It is just Reid all the time."

Bob Shea . . . rare host . . . scrambled eggs and burnt bacon . . . tastes good any old time.

Mary Ann Davis . . . crooned a tune . . . says Mary Ann, "I never was much of a girl for just sitting around."

New "green blackboards" . . . have a much warmer appeal in the mornings . . . yellow chalk . . . really artistic.

Debate team . . . taking top honors everywhere . . . Bob Roberts and Herbert Anderson . . . deserve congratulations.

"Blue Flame" . . . latest rage in the musical world . . . crazier than the Creep . . . and it's so soothing.

Experimental Drama . . . "Theater-in-the-Round" . . . received acclaim . . . hats off to extraordinary campus talent—Bob Wilson, Lucille Hunzinger, Ivan Magoon, Carole Kay Trotter, John Lee Thompson, Evelyn Ruth Shaline, Elbert Blair, and Don McCullough.

Talk of the Mardi gras . . . several groups planning to go . . . Be sure to eat at Antoinette . . . only \$25 a plate.

Henry Southard . . . won in Golden Gloves contest . . . scored a technical knockout in the third round.

Rise of the "proletariat" . . . giving the renowned "brains" on campus a run for their grades.

Spring . . . right around the corner . . . thoughts of love . . . or thoughts of convertibles . . . picnics . . . and, of course, a renewed zest for studying.

Tower Choir Presents Concert for Assembly

Music, written by master church composers, opened the Tower Choir concert, directed by Mr. Gilbert A. Whitney, in an assembly on February 3.

Selections from "Oklahoma" included solos by soprano, Mary Ann Davis, and baritone, Charles Hagee.

Singers, dressed in western apparel, sat in a relaxed manner as they made up the background for the tunes of "Oklahoma," "Oh, What a Beautiful Mornin'," and "Surrey with the Fringe on Top."

Jack Hill sang in a full baritone voice, the spirited sea folk song, "Sing Me a Chantey," to the background of the men's choir.

"Little Red Riding Hood" was portrayed by Barbara LaMar, Charles Hagee, Gordon Robertson, Ruth Tebow, and Roger Rowlett.

Marilyn Brown and the Reverend William Andrew were given special acknowledgement for participation in the annual choir tour for three years.

Arthur Buckingham was piano accompanist for the entire concert.

Is Kiwanis Speaker

Mr. F. B. Houghton, instructor in the agriculture department, was the guest speaker at the Burlington Junction Kiwanis meeting, Monday night, February 8. He discussed the "Outlook for Agriculture in 1954."

Mr. Houghton Attends Meeting In Columbia

Mr. F. B. Houghton, of the agriculture department, was in Columbia recently, attending the state meeting of the Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' Association. Mr. Houghton and Mr. Clifford Clark, of Rea, who is the president of the Nodaway county association, were attending the state meeting as representatives of the Nodaway county group.

Mr. Clark and his son Paul are breeders of registered Angus cattle and operate a 435 acre farm in Andrew county. Both of them are former students of the College. Paul Clark attended during the school years of 1946-48.

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Hungry Five Entertain
"Hungry Five" German band gave special musical entertainment at the Northwest Missouri Press Association in St. Joseph. Members of the band were Gordon Robertson, Donald A. Riegel, William Schultz, Mr. John L. Smay, and Burl Walter.

Some Are Willing to Pay

Emily Frankel and Mary Ryder, popular young dance team, provide encouragement for aspiring students.

Both have soundly demonstrated that much can be accomplished by hard work and resolution to get ahead in one's field.

Miss Frankel and Mary Ryder began dancing at an early age and have been consistent in their practice through the years.

Now they are reaping their reward because they cheerfully paid the price of success.

One should ask himself: Am I willing to endure the struggle for the rewards and glory that go with achievement? Or shall I accept the easy and inadequate contentment that comes with mediocrity?

Miss Frankel and Mr. Ryder have well proved that a solid foundation can be placed under one's highest ambitions.

For Your Information . . .

According to the College Administrative Handbook, the director of student activities has charge of the Student Union building. The director also has charge of the calendar of student activities and other events which involve the scheduling of rooms in the Union as well as other rooms used in the realization of this program. This rule prevents conflicting schedules.

Students are not obligated to attend meetings that have not been scheduled with Miss Rachael Taul, director of Student Activities!

Traffic regulations adopted by the Board of Regents of the Northwest Missouri State College and by the Maryville City Council require that all motor vehicles operated on the campus must be registered with the Registrar.

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"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will revere and obey the College laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

Northwest State College Alumni Meet in New York



It was old home week in New York Jan. 9 when a group of former students and their wives of Northwest Missouri State College got together for dinner and to form an alumni group. Shown above, with Homer Croy and Dale Carnegie, Nodaway county's two writers of national fame, in the center, are Mr. and Mrs. McDonald Egdorf; Dr. and Mrs. Merrill Ostrus; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Irvin; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hechler; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lindstrom; Mr. and Mrs. T. B. DeFarkas; Dr. Lucille Lindberg; Claude Trower and Miss Frances Stuart. It was Miss Stuart who organized the reunion. It is planned to hold others at later dates with additional alumni in the area.

Reading Notes From the Red Coats

Alpha Sigma Alpha "Hell Week" . . . gunny-sack skirts. . . Pat Cooper's. . . buckets of refreshments for actives. . . signing of paddles and eggs. . . reminders for Nancy Rainey and Jeannie Goodson. . . "Hell Night". . . longies, etc. . . right, Pat Adams. . . scavenger hunt. . . naughty pledges in cars. . . Doris McKinley and Arlene Crockett. . . original songs. . . famished. . . devoured food. . .

Congratulations to Bettebelle Pitts. . . the Alpha's Tower queen candidate.

Special Bulletin. . . Anne Lou Cowan and Pat Cooper made the Dean's Honor Roll.

Notice. . . Kay Ferguson has a part in the coming all school play.

Alpha Sigs' annual Sweetheart Dance was held February 13 in the Union Lounge. Annie Lou Cowan was crowned Alpha Sigma Sweetheart.

Best wishes to Lona Lou Moore and Nancy Menefee.

Our deep felt sympathy goes to Mary Masters and her family upon the loss of their sister and daughter.

In observance of Religious Emphasis Week the girls of Alpha Sigma Alpha attended the Methodist Church in a body to hear the Rev. Monk Bryan's sermon. At the regular meeting, the Rev. V. L. Vaughn of the Baptist Church spoke to the group, comparing the problems of world peace to problems of everyday life.

"The best to the best from the Alpha Sigs."

Intermediate Club

Intermediate Club met recently in the Horace Mann lunch room with sixteen members present. A valentine party was held. Games and contests were played under the direction of Darlene Stamp, Beverly Thomson, and Marcia Woodcock. Betty Heyser won the prize for refraining from saying "I" the most.

Refreshments of ice cream, cake, and candy red hots were served.

At last week's meeting, ten members and two guests were present. Guest sponsor was Mrs. Arcille McClaren who took the place of Miss Mary E. Keith who was in Chicago at the National Convention.

Guest speaker was Father Andrews who gave a talk on "Religious Education in the Schools."

"Teacher Welfare" will be the program topic at the next meeting which will be held March 3. Program chairman will be Loretta Taylor with Beverly Thomson and Mrs. Leona Hall as committee members.

Colhecon

Colhecon joined Kappa Omicron Phi at last week's meeting in the home economics lounge to hear the Rev. Monk Bryan, who spoke on a subject related to Religious Emphasis Week.

Members of Colhecon were sorry to lose their sponsor, Miss Anita Rice, who resigned at the end of last semester. Before she left the members of Colhecon had a going-away party for her and presented her with an engraved compact. The club's new sponsor is Dr. June Cozine.

Phi Sigs Have Rootin' Tootin' Western Dance in Chapter Room

Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity held a western dance in the chapter room February 5. Dancing was both square and round. The room was decorated with saddles, wagon wheels, and western blankets. Garb for the evening consisted of levis, cowboy shirts and boots, neckerchiefs, stetsons, and sixguns.

Committees for the dance were food—Zane Dodge, Roger Cook, and Dave Penwell; decorations—Harold Dinsmore, Bill Baber, Dick Merkle, and Norman Higginbotham; and entertainment—Bob Shea, Bill Summa, and John Barrett.

Formal initiation was held Tuesday night, February 2, in the chapter room. The actives this semester are Lanny Gray, Vic Cromer, Harold Baker, Lester Wooten, Walter Arms, Bob Staggs, Max Nelson, Don Blackford, Laverne Brown, Lyle Grice, Ed Bush, Charles Brown, Bob Shea, Norman Higginbotham, Charlie Williams, Bill Baber.

John Barrett, Frank Bayless, Bob Sparks, Dick Frizell, Roger Cook, Harold Dinsmore, Zane Dodge, Dick Merkle, Max Pierce, Bob Roberts, Al Spies, Bob Stevenson, Bill Summa, Don Warford, Ed Hascall, and George McCleave.

Plans for the Phi Sig frolics to be held April 8 and 9 are under way. The frolics will be a minstrel show in three acts.

Other events on the calendar are the Founders Day banquet scheduled for February 23 with James Whitfield, one of the national vice presidents, as speaker; the smoker tonight; and the annual Orchid Ball on March 20 at the Country Club.

Max Pierce and Bob Stevenson are rapidly finishing the newsletter and expect to have it out next week.

All the Phi Sigs wish to welcome Dr. Glenn Hoffman as an honorary member of the fraternity.

Pi Omega Pi

Beta chapter of Pi Omega Pi held its regular dinner meeting in the North dining room of the Union, Monday evening, February 8.

After dinner the group was honored by having a guest speaker to observe Religious Emphasis Week. He was Dr. Paul Losh, who spoke on the spiritual values through the teaching profession.

Following the words by Dr. Losh, a short business meeting was held. Further plans were made for the annual trip which will be made to Kansas City this year. Various business establishments were discussed for visits.

Two guests also attended the meeting. They were Bonnie Campbell and Norma Gladstone.

Math Club

President Harold Gray presided at a recent meeting of the Math Club. The group discussed presenting a radio program over KNIM. Plans for Parents' Day were also discussed.

After the business meeting, the group made geometric figures out of paper.

Anyone interested in mathematics is invited to the meeting tonight.

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Sigma Tau Gamma

Sigma Tau Gamma started the second semester with a bang. Formal initiation was held on the afternoon of January 31 at the Union. Thirteen pledges were initiated.

That evening the Taus sponsored a spaghetti supper at the Union building and Ono Monachino displayed his talent as a culinary expert.

Rev. Monk Bryan spoke on world peace at the meeting of February 9.

On Monday, February 16, the Taus ran the concession stand at the St. Benedict's game.

Last night the Taus had a smoker at Tucker's Cafe. The group was very pleased with the good attendance.

Fine Arts Club

At a recent meeting of the Art Club, discussions and plans were made for a "Peter Pan" puppet show. Harold Addington gave the club members a background of the making of puppets. Various members volunteered to make the puppet heads.

Joe Walker was elected chairman of the committee that will make the bodies of the dolls. Others on the committee are Kenny Philo, Aldon Addington, and Harold Addington. Shirley Motsinger, Rita Yehle, Nancy Snidow, and Mary Lou Price volunteered to make the costumes for the puppets.

Mary Lou Price, Nancy Snidow, and Shirley Motsinger were appointed to write the script. Nancy Snidow was appointed general chairman.

Anna Mae Barnes gave an informative talk on Paul Cezanne, exhibiting paintings showing his technique.

Art Club will meet tonight.

Newman Club

Under the direction of Pat Baker, members of the Newman Club completed plans for a bake sale at a recent meeting.

Father Buhman, guest speaker, spoke on courtship and marriage. A short time was then set aside for members to ask questions on the subject.

Programs for the meetings for this semester are as follows: February 25—Marriage, why indissoluble, March 11—Marriage—Catholic or Mixed, March 25—Catholic marriage—how to achieve it, April 8—The Christian Home, a nation's bulwark.

A. C. E.

At the last meeting of the Association for Childhood Education, the Rev. Paul Losh spoke to the group. He expressed the idea that "the privilege of teaching children is a God-given privilege."

Plans were made for a valentine party which will be held tonight. Coming national and state conventions in April and May were brought to the attention of the group.

Pledges Entertain At Sigma Sock Hop

Sigma Sigma Sigma pledges gave a dance recently at the Union Lounge for the sorority members and their dates.

"Cupid Swing" was the theme of the dance. Cupids and hearts were used to carry out the theme. At the door stood a large heart which was covered with crepe paper streamers.

Lynnette Hankins and Marvin Bowman were crowned Cupid queen and king at intermission.

Marym Croy, Ruth Tebow, Barbara LaMar, and Marilyn LaMar sang an arrangement of "Ma, He's Making Eyes at Me." Ruth Tebow sang a solo. Mary Anne Funkhouser, Barbara LaMar, Greta Garten, and Sally Jackson sang "Heart of My Heart" and gave a chorus line dance. To conclude the program all the pledges sang "My Tri Sigma Man."

Refreshments of mints, cup cakes, and cokes were served to all. Patty Boydston presented each member with a cup inscribed with the Greek symbols as souvenirs of the dance.

Martha Newman was nominated Tower queen candidate at last week's meeting. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Newman of Carrollton. Marty is a sophomore majoring in vocational home economics.

Rev. Thomas, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, was a guest speaker at the meeting. He gave a talk concerning the church's part in political affairs.

Marca Dick and Marilyn LaMar entertained the pledges and members with a social service skit. The name of the skit was "Balcony Scene from Romeo and Juliet."

Delta Sigmas

Delta Sigma Epsilon held its weekly meeting in the chapter room, Tuesday evening, February 9. Father Malone spoke to the group on matters in keeping with Religious Emphasis Week. A short business meeting followed the talk.

All the members were sorry to lose four active members last semester. Those leaving were Bernice Short, who transferred to Drake University at Des Moines, Iowa; Beverly Pop Moore, who left to join her husband, Jack, stationed at Fort Leonard Wood; Charlene Carr Sauceman, who left to begin the new job of managing a home; and Joy Ann White, who is now at home in Blythdale.

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"Comin' Up"

Feb. 19	Cape, There Jr. Class All-School Dance
Feb. 20	Rolla, There
Feb. 21	Tri Sigma Dinner
Feb. 22	Kappa Omicron Phi Alumni Dinner
Feb. 23	Phi Sig Founders' Day Banquet
Feb. 24	Assembly 10:00
Feb. 27	Tower Dance

Independent Club

Dr. Paul T. Losh, Religious Emphasis Week speaker, spoke to the Independent Club at their regular meeting last week. According to Dr. Losh, college students are often frustrated by having their well laid plans upset, or their dreams shattered. If God were allowed to guide their lives, the shattered dreams may be turned into a far more useful life.

Big plans were made for future activities. After the business meeting last night there was a social hour of round and square dancing. A skating party and a white elephant auction are in the near future.

Two fine candidates were nominated to represent the Independent Club in the Tower king and queen contest. Ethel Carlson, a freshman business major from Elmo, and Bill Schultz, a freshman music major from Ridgeway, are the queen and king nominees.

F. T. A.

"World Peace Through Faith in People" was the subject of the sermonette given by the Rev. D. Franklin Kohl of the Maryville Christian Church to the Future Teachers of America at their regular scheduled meeting last week. In his discussion he said that this faith must draw out the best qualities in all types of people.

Gwenda Barnes presided at the meeting in the absence of the president Audra Williams. Mr. James Johnson, one of the sponsors, and a guest, Orville Hall, were present at this Religious Emphasis Week program.

Sigma Taus Give Supper

Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity, sponsored by Dr. John L. Harr and Mr. George R. Gaylor, gave a spaghetti supper at the Union cafeteria, January 31.

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Bearcats Face Rolla and Cape Girardeau on Road

Two More Victories Would Place Cars In Higher League Standing

Coach Dale Kessinger and his Maryville Bearcats depart tomorrow morning for a three day road trip that will take them to Cape Girardeau for a Friday night meeting with Coach Ralph Pink's Indians and a Saturday night battle with Rolla's wireless Miners.

Both games, MIAA conference affairs, terminate regular season play for the local eagles.

The trip is doubly important for the Kessingermen as they must win both games if they are to finish as high as fourth place in the final conference standings.

Both Cape and Rolla have felt the Bearcats' power in early season contests and both will be seeking to avenge earlier losses.

Back in early January when the Indians came to town ranked as the number one outfit in the conference, the local hoopsters handed them a 67-63 defeat. After the game Cape Coach Ralph Pink warned the Bearcats that they would be in for a rough evening when they visited Cape.

Since that time the Southeast Missourians have picked up a fast pace and currently are tied with Springfield for league leadership.

Ray Rippemeyer, number two conference scoring leader, and Bue Balzar are two of the best in June.

Over Rolla way they are in the throes of their losingest season. Coach Dewey Algood's crew will try to even up matters with the Cats who handed them a 73-60 loss here on January 29th.

The Miners don't have very much to offer in the way of resistance, but can prove very troublesome on their home floor.

For the local team the week-end games mark the end of college playing for senior forward Maurice Ingram. Ingram, who came here after two years at Boise Junior College, has been a valuable and steady performer throughout the season and his loss will be keenly felt by Coach Kessinger and his teammates.

BEARCATS WIN SIX OF LAST EIGHT

Maryville 67—Cape Girardeau	63
Maryville 66—Warrensburg	52
Maryville 67—Omaha U.	55
Maryville 69—Springfield	81
Maryville 73—Rolla	60
Maryville 86—S. W. Kansas	75
Maryville 64—Omaha	55
Maryville 64—Warrensburg	66

Miss Ruth Miller, pianist; Mr. Kenneth Bird, organist; and Mr. Donald Sandford, violinist, were guest artists at the Fortnightly Club, St. Joseph, Sunday.

Complete Basic

Harmon Mothershead and Hershel Neil, graduates of 1953, have completed their basic and engineers training with the 6th Armored Division at Fort Leonard Wood.

Mary Anne Funkhouser "M" Club Queen

Mary Anne Funkhouser, beautiful freshman from Plattsburg, was crowned 1954 "M" Club Queen at the third annual athletic dance, January 30th, in rooms 113-114 of the Administration Building.

She was attended by Barbara Nixon, St. Joseph, and Miss Sally Jackson, Mt. Ayr, Iowa.

The three girls were presented with bouquets and sterling silver medallions with an appropriate inscription.

Another highlight of the intermission program was the presentation of the George Nathan trophy to the Bearcats' Most Valuable Football Player to senior guard Don Palmer of Maryville.

M. W. Stauffer, publisher of the Maryville Daily Forum, made the presentation.



ne Funkhouser



Don Palmer

PARTICIPATE IN INTRAMURALS

Random Shots . . .

Bearcat basketballers on final road trip . . . two victories would help improve seasonal record . . . Though first place hopes are down . . . again, Kessinger's boys provided plenty of thrills with their hustling play . . .

Daryl Flint well on his way to topping MIAA scorers in his first season of competition . . . Flint also is the strong candidate for all-conference honors . . . It's been many a moon since a first year man has been able to attract that much attention . . . if Daryl keeps throwing 'em in the way he has this year for the next three, he's a cinch to be the highest individual scorer in Bearcat annals . . .

Real gone winter weather has proved a blessing for Coach Ryland Milner's varsity track aspirants . . . Jack Spence, last year's top point maker, should have another great season . . . three other letterman, Loren Putney, Ric Tilton and Don Burnside should also prove invaluable . . . best of the newcomers seems to be Louie 'Shelby' Linville, crack quarter miler, from St. Joseph Central . . .

Intramural action really drawing to a fever pitch with competition slated in ping pong, badminton, swimming, tennis, golf and softball . . . all interested should contact their group leaders or Dr. Peterson . . . plenty of highly entertaining action is promised those participating . . .

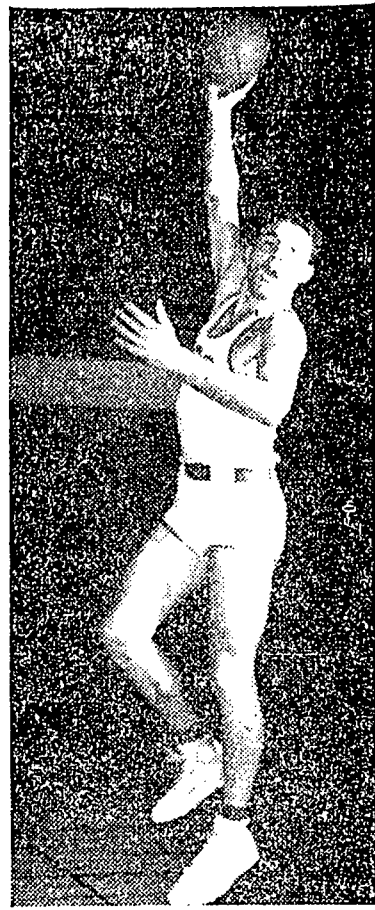
Bearcat "B" team finished season with a wonderful record . . . lost only one of ten games played . . . Paul Clark with an 11.7 average topped the Bee point getters . . . He along with Mike Hutcheon, Gus Fasone, Doug Swearingen, Bob Smith and Dave Culver should help the '54-'55 Bearcat cage machine . . .

Mr. Donald Sandford, of the music division, is attending the national convention of the American String Teachers Association in Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandford made the trip by automobile.

Heavy Schedule for Intramurals

Leading MIAA Scorer



Daryl Flint, freshman scoring ace from Martinsville, has an excellent chance of winding up with MIAA scoring championships for the 1953-1954 season.

Flint will be shooting the works in the next two Bearcat games to break into the 400 club. He's tallied 348 points to date.

College women at the Home Management House had a coffee hour for the faculty last night.

Variety of Sports Set For Spring Intramural Program

Intramural action, very slim since the semester's start, gets off into full production this week with activities planned from now until the end of the semester.

Starting with a free throw tournament now in the process, the Intramural Commission headed by Dr. H. D. Peterson has scheduled a wide range of events and activities that should keep everyone in a playing status.

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Feb. 22 to 27 . . . Men's Gym

AERIAL DARTS

Mar. 1 to 5 . . . Men's Gym

SOFTBALL

April 1 . . . Athletic Field

HORSESHOES

April 15 . . . Athletic Field

GOLF

Mar. 15 . . . Country Club

TENNIS

Mar. 15 . . . College Courts

Another activity, table tennis, is now underway with competition in doubles and singles taking the spotlight.

In order to create more interest in intramural activities Dr. Peterson has appointed members of his Administration of Recreation class to supervise, administer and publicize all spring activities.

This group will be under the sole guidance and supervision of the Intramural Commission.

So with all the effort being put forth by members of the physical education department a worthwhile intramural program is in the offing and needs only to be well supported to give the students of NWMSC one of the Seven Cardinal Principles, that of "Worthy Use of Leisure Time."

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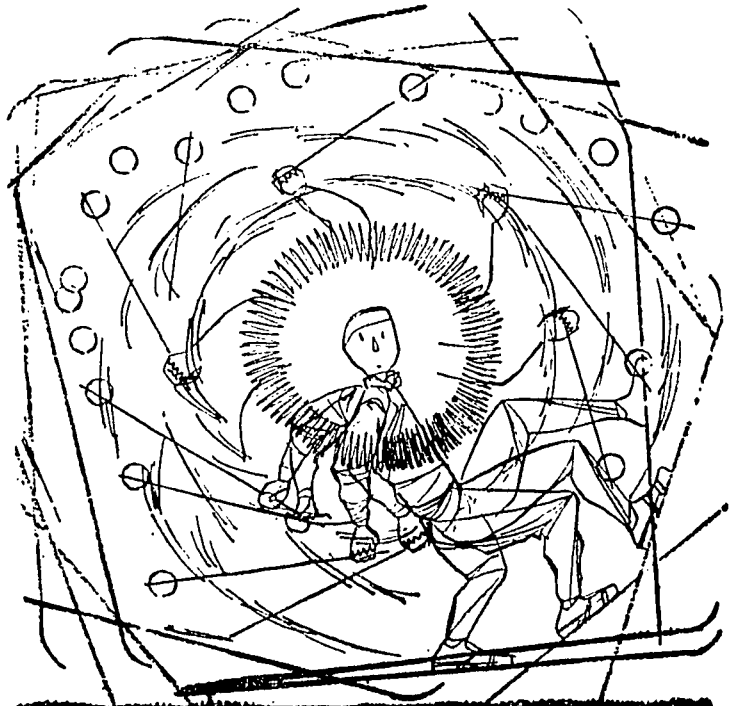
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